

LEGISLATIVE REVIEW OF ADOPTED REGULATIONS--NRS 233B.066
Informational Statement
LCB File No. R-100-18

1. A dear and concise explanation of the need for the adopted regulation.
The Department of Agriculture is revising Nevada Administrative Code, Chapter 554, to bring taxonomic language up to date. The code covers language on quarantined commodities. Over the years the scientific name of the tomato plant has changed so we must revise language to properly cover the currently accepted scientific name. The change will not affect business practice, fees, movement of goods or regulatory authority/action.

2. Description of how public comment was solicited, a summary of public response, and an explanation of how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.
Public response was solicited at each public meeting and accepted in-person, over the phone, or via email. There were no public comments on this matter to address.

Copies of the proposed regulations, notices of workshop and notices of intent to act upon the regulation were sent by U.S. mail and email to persons who were known to have an interest in the subject of Pesticide Registration Fees, as well as any persons who had specifically requested such notice. These documents were also made available at the website of the Nevada Department of Agriculture (NOA) mailed to all county libraries in Nevada and posted at the following locations:

Nevada Department of Agriculture
405 South 21st Street
Sparks, NV 89431-5566

Nevada Department of Agriculture
2150 Frazer Avenue
Sparks, NV 89431

Nevada Department of Agriculture
2300 E. St Louis Avenue
Las Vegas, NV 89104-4314

Nevada Department of Agriculture
4780 E. Idaho Street
Elko, NV 89801-4672

Interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary by contacting:

Nevada Department of Agriculture
Attn: Allen Whitenack
405 South 21st Street
Sparks, NV 89431

3. The number of persons who:
 - (a) Attended each hearing:
 - (b) Testified at each hearing:
 - (c) Submitted written comments:

Workshop date: Thursday, May 10, 2018
Number in attendance: 3
Number testifying: 0
Written statements submitted: 0

Hearing date: Tuesday, August 28, 2018
Number in attendance: 3
Number testifying: 0
Written statements submitted: 0

4. For each person identified in paragraphs (b) and (c) of number 3 above, the following information if provided to the agency conducting the hearing:
- (a) Name;
 - (b) Telephone number;
 - (c) Business address;
 - (d) Business telephone number;
 - (e) Electronic mail address; and
 - (f) Name of entity or organization represented.

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5. A description of how comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their response and an explanation of how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

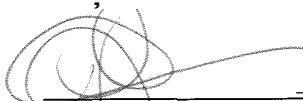
No comment was solicited. The Department of Agriculture determined that this was unnecessary to solicit comment as this NAG proposed

change merely updates naming conventions (scientific naming) and does not affect the purpose of the NAG.

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Nevada Department of Agriculture
Attn: Jennifer Ott, Administrator, Plant Industry Division
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Sparks, NV 89431

6. If the regulation was adopted without changing any part of the proposed regulation, a summary of the reasons for adopting the regulation without change.
No input was provided during the workshop or adoption hearing.
7. The estimated immediate and long-term economic effect of the regulation on the business which it is to regulate and on the public, whether beneficial or adverse.
 - (a) Estimated economic effect on the businesses which they are to regulate.
There are no immediate economic effects. This is updating names only. There are no long term economic effects. This is updating names only.
 - (b) Estimated economic effect on the public which they are to regulate.
There are no economic effects on the public. This is updating names only.
8. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation:
None.
9. A description of any regulations of other State or governmental agencies which the regulation overlaps or duplicates and a statement explaining why the duplication or overlap is necessary. If the regulation overlaps or duplicates a federal regulation, the name of the regulating federal agency.
There are no duplications.
10. If the regulation includes provisions that are more stringent than a federal regulation that regulates the same activity, a summary of such provisions.
There is not an increase in stringent provisions.
11. If the regulation provides a new fee or increases an existing fee, the total annual amount the agency expects to collect and the manner in which the money will be used.
No new fees will be collected.



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